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Local and General

and Thomas shipped a car load of hogs to Calgary on Wednesday.

"Don't Use Scrubs" in mating up your poultry flocks. When you can buy extra choice pure bred cockerels for \$1.00 and \$1.50 each. Columbian Wyandottes and R.C. White Leghorns.—John Morrison, Box 188.

CHURCH OF THE ASCENSION.--Morning Prayer will be conducted by the Rev. J. P. Dingle at 11 a.m. and Evening Prayer at 7-30 p.m. Sunday next, February 7th.

A meeting of the parishioners will be held after morning service to appoint Church officers, etc.

Mr. W. Tempary, Homestead Inspector of Cochrane, was a visitor here on Wednesday attending to a case of a homestead that has been filed on for a dozen years or so and not had a patent issued for up to the present.

Mr. G. A. C. Doogan, Manager of the Circle N Ranches, was married on Wednesday, at St. Catharines, Ontario. We wish him happiness.

R. Whitfield, Junr., of Cochrane, was on a visit to Crossfield on Wednesday, in the interests of the Horse Creek U.F.A. His endeavours to secure a car of seed oats were futile however.

NOTICE.—I am now in a position to handle Farm Loans on the usual terms and interest, call and see me when you require any money.—C. HULTGREN.

Remember the Meeting of the Women's Institute to be held at the home of Mrs. R. I. Boyle, on Saturday, February 6th, at 2-30 p.m. A very interesting programme has been arranged, amongst other things will be an address by Mr. J. Morrison, on the "Union Jack."

Mr. W. Urquhart was a Calgary visitor on Monday last.

Mr. A. A. Hall was a visitor to Calgary on Tuesday and Wednesday in the interests of the U.F.A. disposing of three cars of hogs.

A case of some interest to the village was tried at the local court before E. H. Morrow, J.P., on Wednesday. The charge was made by Council's Health Inspector against Mr. S. D. Myers, of the Alberta Hotel, for not supplying enough watertight receptacles to the privies. The charge being admitted, and it being the first case it was dealt leniently with. A fine of \$3 and costs was imposed.

I have buyers for Improved Quarters and Half Sections, on easy terms and close to school. State full particulars.—D. P. HAYS, Carstairs, Alberta.

Sell Your Old Accounts! We'll buy them. Make out your Bills and send them TO-DAY! CROWN MERCANTILE AGENCIES, CALGARY.

The Ladies' Aid of the United Churches intend having a Social on the 23rd of February. Please bear in mind the date, and watch for further particulars.

If you want to Sell your Land, List it with me at once I Have numerous enquiries.

If you require to renew your old Loan or take out a new one, call and see me, as I can save you money. I represent The Canada Life, and others.

Chas. Hultgren.

DO YOU NEED An Ironing Board?

If you do here is a chance to secure a \$5.00 one
FREE.

Simply buy any article in our north window at 15 cents., which in itself will be a genuine bargain, and besides you may hold the lucky number.

Call and let us explain in detail.

Sale Commences Friday, 6th Feb.

Sale ends when 100

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Life the Penalty

Boffer Killed by Limb From "Spirit"
Under Which "Joss" Trampled

In the Straits Settlements and Malay Peninsula both the Malays and Chinese believe that many trees have their tutelary spirits, says C. E. G. Tisdale, in the Wide World Magazine. Such trees are easily recognizable, owing to their having "joss" or incense sticks placed either close to their roots or in a fork between the branches—the offerings of the Chinese—or decoration consisting of bits of various colored cloth, the Malay tree of devotion.

One such tree is still to be seen in Stamford road, the main thoroughfare of Singapore, and in connection with this particular tree a curious accident happened only a few months ago. A rich young Babo, or Straitsborn Chinese, named Lee Kila Guan, who had been educated in England at Cambridge University, was taking a stroll in the evening with a friend, and when passing this tree noticed a lot of joss sticks burning at its roots. With a laugh at the superstitions of the uneducated coolies who had placed the incense there, he kicked the joss sticks over and trampled on them. He then rebuked his companion and they went for a walk round the esplanade. As they walked along his friend remonstrated with him for his action, pointing out that, "after all, though he did not believe in it himself, there might be something in it," and for his part, he preferred to leave such things severely alone as he had heard of cases where accidents had happened to persons who interfered with such trees.

Lee Kila Guan ridiculed the idea of such a thing and pointed out that no European or educated person believed in "haunted" trees, but only the ignorant coolies. Three days later, while Lee Kila Guan was on his way to town in his motor car, he passed under this tree a huge branch fell right across the car, killing him on the spot, and smashing all the front part of the car. When examined the branch showed no trace of the ravages of white ants, and there seemed to be no reason for its having broken, as there was no wind that morning.

Minard's Liniment Cures Garget in Cows.

Clerk—Mr. Goldberg, as I am going to marry I would like more salary.
Boss—How much more do you want?
Clerk—Ten dollars.
Boss—My gracious! How many women are you going to marry?

Quick Help For Chest Soreness!

All Congestion Made To Go Quickly

Worst Cold or Sore Throat Cured in Quick Order

RUB ON NERVILINE

Hub Nerviline plentifully over the neck and chest—rub it in well—lots of rubbing can't hurt. The relief will be surprising.
Nerviline is effective because it is powerful—about five times stronger than an ordinary liniment. Nerviline's penetrating, sinks in through the tissues, gets right in where the soreness and congestion arise, where the soreness marvellously soothing. Rubbed on at night, it draws out the inflammation, and before morning takes away that feeling of tightness, and stops the

Duke's Awards to Brave Boy Scouts

The following awards by the Chief Scout, H.R.H., the Duke of Connaught, to Canadian Boy Scouts for conspicuous bravery, are announced:
Scout J. H. H. of Montreal, rescued land from drowning in a diseased quag, awarded silver cross.
Scout John Hope, Lacrosse, Que., brought drowning boy ashore, awarded silver cross.
Scout E. H. Brand, Banner, Man., rescued girl who had fallen through ice at Winnipeg awarded scroll of honor, signed by Chief Scout.
Scout Allan Hovey, Stansfeld, Que., went to assistance of comrade in difficulty in water, received letter of commendation from the Chief Scout.

Good Sleep Good Health

Exhausted Nerves Fully Restored by Dr. Chase's Nerve Food

When the nerve force expended in the day's work and in the act of living is not replenished by restful sleep at night, you have cause to be alarmed, as physical bankruptcy stares you in the face. This letter directs you to the most satisfactory cure for sleeplessness.
Mr. Dennis Mackin, Maxton, Sask., writes: "I have just finished using the sixth box of Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and must say that when I commenced using it my nerves were so bad that I could scarcely get any sleep. I would lie in bed nearly all night without sleep, and anyone who has this trouble knows the misery of sleepless nights. The Nerve Food helped me from the start, and has built up my nervous system wonderfully. I now enjoy good, sound sleep, and am feeling tired in the morning. I am strong and healthy, and well fitted for my daily work."
Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50; all dealers, or Edmondson, Bates & Co., Limited, Toronto.

For the Old Folks at Home
"What is in the mail from daughter?" asked mother eagerly.
"A thousand kisses," answered father grimly, "and sixteen handkerchiefs, two waists and four batches of ribbons for you to wash and mend."

Modern Church Architecture
"The Board of Directors of the building committee to the architect, 'You haven't a single spire on the church.'"
"No. In these days of anti-tallism, it is better to build your churches warproof."

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CITY IS MINING GOLD

Edmonton Turns to Industry to Keep Men Employed in Time of War

How to provide for the army of the unemployed thrown out of work because of the business depression resulting from the European war, says the Popular Mechanics Magazine, is naturally a much more serious problem in the British colonies than anywhere else outside of the continent of Europe. The city of Edmonton, Alta., has found at least one solution, and one that puts no added burden either on the taxpayer or the charitable.

The bars of the Saskatchewan river which runs through the city, contain much gold dust of the very fine variety. With the out break of the European war and the necessity to provide as much available work for men whom war conditions might throw out employment, the city council turned to the gold mining industry, which offered returns within a hundred yards of the city's main streets. A number of experienced mining men who had settled in the city after the Klondike rush of '98 offered to act for a while as instructors to the uninitiated, and some two hundred men soon went to work. The average claim ran in the neighborhood of \$1.50 to \$2 a day.

Its Virtue Cannot be Described.—No one can explain the subtle power that Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil possesses. The originator was surprised himself by the wonderful qualities that his compound possesses, and he was the benefactor of humanity is shown by the myriads that find in this wonderful Oil. So familiar is everyone with it that it is prized as a household medicine everywhere.

Persian Lamb In Africa
If Great Britain retains German Southwest Africa, the caracal, an industry there should receive increased attention.

Caracal sheep were first imported into German Southwest Africa from Bokhara in 1907, and the sandy soil of some parts of the country seemed to suit the animals admirably.

Professor W. K. Schlegel, having recently recommended a trial of Caracal sheep in Great Britain, an experiment is being made with them in Scotland, and good results are stated to have been obtained.

Some specimens of the sheep have been successfully introduced into Africa, and other parts of the world. However, little attention seems to have been paid to the production of "Persian" wool. A flock of caracal sheep has recently been imported into Newfoundland, and the results of this important experiment will be awaited with interest.

Asthma Can be Cured. Its suffering is as needless as it is terrible to endure. After 15 years of relief of the most stubborn cases no sufferer can doubt the perfect effectiveness of Dr. J. D. Kellogg's Asthma Remedy.

Comfort of body and peace of mind return with its use and nights of restless sleep come back for good. Ask your druggist; he can supply you.

Jack Tar's Rattons
"Jack Tar" must be kept in tip-top condition. It is to carry out his duties efficiently, and the naval authorities help him to do this by giving him a good wholesome food.

The following are the amounts of provisions carried on board a man-of-war with a crew of just under 800 men:
Meat, 1 ton; fresh vegetables, 2 tons; salt pork, 820 lbs.; flour, 43 tons; biscuits, 1 ton; preserved meat, 1 1/2 tons; tinned salmon, 2 tons; tinned rabbit, 1,418 lbs.; pickles, 1 1/2 tons; sugar, 240 lbs.; split peas, 1 1/2 tons; dried beans and peas, 1 1/2 tons; celery seeds, 53 lbs.; condensed milk, 13 tons; sugar, 20 tons; corn, 1 1/2 tons; coffee, 1/2 ton; drinking chocolate, 2 1/2 tons; jam, 1 ton; raisins, 1 1/2 tons; rice, 1/2 ton; mustard, 325 lbs.; pepper, 250 lbs.; salt, 1 1/2 tons; vinegar, 150 gallons; rum, 1,336 gallons; soap, 4 1/2 tons; tobacco, 2 tons.

Minard's Liniment Co., Limited.

Gentlemen—Theodore Dorais, a customer of mine, was completely cured of rheumatism after five years of suffering by the judicious use of MINARD'S LINIMENT.

The above fact can be substantiated by writing to him, to the Parish Priest or any of his neighbors.

A. C. ROY, Merchant.

St. Isidore, Que., 12 May, '98.

Marie—And at the place where I stayed this summer, a green young third hand tried to kiss me, and I told me he'd never kissed a girl in his life, and

Gwendy—And what did you tell him?

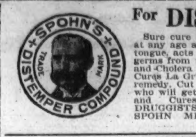
Marie—I told him that I was no agricultural experiment station.

Sir Donald Ross, who discovered how the mottled winged mosquito carries malaria, claims that Mediterranean fever is carried principally by the milk of infected goats. Leprosy has been attributed to bedbugs, and who is even beginning to think that the disease of measles is due to fleas.

Mrs. Olden—I buy my husband a box of cigars every day.

Mrs. Newbed—But I thought you objected to his smoking at home.

Mrs. Olden—So I do—and he never does.



For DISTEMPER

Pink Eye, Epizootic, Shipping Fever, and Catarrhal Fever.
Sure cure and positive preventive, no matter how horses at any age are infected with these diseases. Liquid given on the tongue, acts on the blood and glands, expels the poisonous germs from the body. Cures Distemper in Dogs and Horses and Choler in Poultry. Largest selling live stock remedy. George La Grange makes this statement: "I have used this remedy, and it has cured my horses of Distemper, and my chickens of Cholera." DISTRIBUTORS—ALL WHOLESALE DRUGGISTS.
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Can always make sure of getting the highest prices for WHEAT, OATS, BARLEY and FLAX, by shipping their car lots to FORT WILLIAM AND PORT ARTHUR and having them sold on commission by
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or in the barn, "eating their heads off." One means profit—the other means loss. When a horse goes lame—develops a Spavin Curb, Splint, Ringbone—don't risk losing him through neglect—don't run just as great a risk by experimenting with unknown "cures." Get the old reliable stand-by—

KENDALL'S SPAVIN CURE

Mr. W. Winters, Fort William, Ont., writes—"I have cured one spavin with your Spavin Cure, and am now trying it on another with good results." Be ready for emergencies. Keep a bottle of Kendall's in the barn. It cures Spavin, Curb, Splint, Ringbone—don't lose your horse goes lame, you have the remedy on hand to cure the trouble quickly. It's a stormer! Ask your druggist for free copy of book "On the Horse" or write us direct.

Dr. J. J. KENDALL CO., ENOSBURG FALLS, VERMONT, U.S.A.



"Maple Buds" is a name which distinguishes a quality, a flawless standard of chocolate purity and deliciousness, rather than simply the form in which the chocolate is moulded.

"Made in Canada."



Two Faults
"The only trouble with my speech," said the roosterful man, "is that I didn't know when to stop."

"It's worse than that," replied Mr. Growlchew, "your trouble is you didn't know when not to begin."

She (passionately)—Will you be true to me?
He (tenderly)—As true as the roan bloom in your hair.
She—Why—er—ain't the moon grand?

Woman's Health
and spirits depend upon her digestion and circulation. Sallow skin, pimples, facial blemishes and depression disappear after the system has been cleansed and the blood purified by

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The Home Circle.

Cheerful Natures.

There are some natures so happily constituted that they can find good in everything. There is no calamity so great but they can reduce comfort or consolation from it, no sky so black but they can discover a gleam of sunshine issuing through it from some quarter or another, and if the sun is not visible to their eyes they at least comfort themselves with the thought that it is there and reflecting its rays on some one else. Such happy natures are to be envied. They have a beam in the eye—a beam of pleasure, gladness, religious cheerfulness, philosophy or call it what you will. Sunshine is in their hearts and their mind glids with its own hues, all that it looks upon. When they have a burden to bear they bear them cheerfully—not repining, nor fretting, nor wasting of energies in useless lamentations, but struggling manfully, gathering up such flowers as lie along their path. It is these large and comprehensive natures that are the most trustful, and the quickest to see the moral sunshine gleaming through the darkest cloud. In present evil they see prospective good; in pain they recognize the effort of nature to restore health; in trials they find correction and discipline, and in sorrow and suffering they gather courage and knowledge and the best practical wisdom.

The Christian Gentleman.

He is above meanness. He cannot stoop to fraud. He invades no secret in the keeping of another. He betrays no secrets confided to his own keeping. He never struts in borrowed plumage. He never takes selfish advantage of our others' mistakes. He uses no ignoble weapons in controversy. He never stabs in the dark. He is ashamed of innuendoes. He is not one thing to a man's face and another behind his back. If by accident he comes in possession of his neighbour's counsels, he passes upon them an act of instant oblivion. He bears sealed packages without tampering with the wax. Papers not meant for his eye, whether they flutter at his window or lie open before him in unguarded exposure, are sacred to him. He invades no privacy of others, however the sentry sleeps. Bolts and bars, locks and keys, hedges and pickets, bonds and securities, notice to trespassers are none of them for him. He may be trusted alone, out of sight—near the thinnest partition—anywhere. He buys no offices, he sells none, he intrigues for none. He would rather fail of his rights than win them through dishonour. He will eat honest bread. He tramples on no sensitive feeling. He insults no man. If he have rebuke for another, he is straightforward, open manly. He is short, whatever he judges honorable he practices towards every man.

Careless Words.

How frequently, in a thoughtless moment, or in sport, we utter words which sink deep into some heart, inflating untold anguish, and blotting the pages of its life-book with burnings. Time may heal the wound; and troubled waves may be hushed into quietness; the fire that scorched the quivering heart strings may be quenched, but bitter ashes will ever mark the pathway of those careless words. It may be that a weight of sorrow that bowed the fainting spirit to the earth was rendered heavier to be borne by the added grief of a thoughtless word. Perhaps an unguarded expression has been uttered and the tongue of malice repeats it with a new colouring, and a meaning never intended, and thus the strongest tie of affection have been severed.

Buy Goods
"MADE-IN-CANADA"
and you st-ri-ke your money on
a road that leads back to
YOU

INDUSTRIAL WORKERS CHIEF SUFFERERS

Shortness of Money Curtails Factory Employment—How to Reduce the Force of This Menace

While farming is the basis of Canada's wealth, the factories of Canada are the direct source of revenue for a large number of her population. From Sydney to Victoria, from Prince Albert to Toronto, Canada is dotted with factories, and around each factory is a little community of workers; the factory hands, the storekeepers who sell them their supplies, the doctors who tend them when they are ill, the street cars that carry them to and from their work, the railways who depend upon them for a large part of their traffic, and the other mills goods—boots, clothing, underwear, etc.—to supply these we know.

Shortness of Money

War may mean higher prices for Canadian "arrier, in whose good fortune all must rejoice, for his prosperity is our prosperity. But what the nation may gain by the higher prices paid for Canadian wheat, it may more than lose by the closing of Canadian factories. The farmer need never worry about the possibility of unemployment; there is always demand for what he produces. But the ghost of unemployment faces thousands upon thousands of Canadian workmen this winter unless the Canadian people as a whole combine to keep business alive in the Dominion. Already, in once, two and three, here, there and everywhere throughout the Dominion, factories are being closed down for lack of work, or are running on half time. The money supply of Canada has been reduced, and people cannot buy as much as in the past. The same shortness of money prevents the factory owners trying on their trade in the face of falling demand for their goods. Thus factory workers are laid off, the millions of dollars in wages and salaries which formerly went to make Canadian communities busy and prosperous are greatly reduced. There is not the same trade for the corner grocer or the butcher next door to him. People wait instead of riding by street car. They do without the clothing which otherwise they might have bought. And so the whole process repeats endlessly again, till the entire prosperity of the country.

Effect of Individual Action

By cultivating a spirit of intelligent optimism, by facing the situation frankly but cheerfully, a great deal of the difficulty can be overcome. But it is the lack of confidence, following trade depression, which really causes the worst sort of "hard times." Canadians can, to a large extent, reduce the danger of deep depression by keeping their faith in their country and living as near to normal as possible. But, to do this, where they used to buy imported goods they must now buy "Made-in-Canada" goods. It is nothing more nor less than a measure of national self-preservation. It will help to keep Canadian factories working and Canadian workmen employed. It will give work to the storekeeper, to the street railways, to the makers of clothing—to all the other factors in any community.

"MADE IN CANADA
Is Not Enough,
TRADE IN CANADA
In Your Own Town,
THAT'S THE STUFF"

MAINTAINING OUR PRODUCTIVE POWER

The Dominion's Prosperity Depends Upon Ourselves—War and Industry

The war in Europe may result one way or another but in Canada, unless the Canadian people make a special effort to safeguard the interests of the nation, it is bound to have a most serious effect. The boundary lines of Europe may or may not be altered, the war may last for many months or even for years, it may ruin some of the belligerents and bring fortune to others; but for Canada it is likely to mean a serious economic set-back unless the Canadian people as a whole co-operate to fend off the evil effect of the war. Two things must be borne in mind by every Canadian man and woman, from the humblest to the most wealthy; first, to preserve the spirit of optimism and self-confidence, so as to continue the conduct of our affairs in a manner as nearly normal as possible; and secondly, to preserve the money resources of the Dominion by spending it for "Canadian-made" goods, and thus keep it from passing out of the country and into the pockets of foreigners. This need not be done in the spirit of hoarding Canadian manufactures; keeping Canadian money in circulation in Canada is an act of national self-preservation. It is necessary for the good of the whole nation.

KEEP YOUR MONEY IN CANADA
BY PURCHASING YOUR
GOODS AT HOME

SPEND YOUR MONEY AT HOME

The money which you spend to day on a tin of baked beans, "Made-in-Canada," will indirectly stimulate your own particular line of business, whether farmer or factory worker. But the money with which you buy an imported can of beans goes out of the country completely. It pays the wages of foreign workmen who, in turn, spend their wages where you will never benefit by the circulation of the money.

SPEND MONEY AT HOME
AND IT STAYS AT HOME

EMPIRE MADE CHRISTMAS TREE

Montreal Advertising Men Advocate British Empire Christmas

The Montreal "Daily Mail" of two or three weeks ago gave the following account of a meeting of the Montreal Press and Advertising Club at which the British Empire Christmas proposal was launched. It met with general approval.

"Attention was called to the fact that at this season of the year the average expenditure per man would be greatly above normal, and that everything possible should be done to keep this money in Canada. The idea set forth was that every Christmas gift made this year, should be something made in Canada or within the Empire. Even the Christmas trees should be British Christmas trees. 'If we are to hang German toys on our Christmas trees, all our patriotism is wasted,' declared Mr. W. H. Thompson, speaking in support of his motion in favor of an Imperial Christmas. He said that the matter was of vital importance to the trade interests of Canada.

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and Keep Your Money
Circulating in Canada

THE SECOND ANNUAL

BRITISHERS' SMOKING CONCERT

Will be held in the
ALBERTA HOTEL, CROSSFIELD,

On FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 5th, at 8 p.m.

Admission \$1.50. Surplus to be given to Patriotic and Red Cross Funds.

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Names of reliable real estate firms furnished; where to buy the best land; how to plant and when to plant it and how to succeed in our district, as well as other information furnished free of charge today as there is only a limited number of maps, magazines at our disposal. Enclose 10c silver postcard.

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Lock Box 1172 Nelson, B. C.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PROVINCE OF ALBERTA.

Notice to Steam Engineers.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that Examinations will be held at the under mentioned places by W. G. GRAY a duly appointed Inspector of Steam Boilers for the Province of Alberta.

Calgary, March 5th and 6th, Public Works Office, at 9 o'clock a.m. For the purpose of giving Engineers and Apprentices an opportunity of qualifying for Certificates under the provisions of "The Boilers Act," 1912.

Persons not already registered in the Province who may desire application forms, can obtain same by applying to the Department, or to the above named Inspector, and such application form must be properly filled out, witnessed, and declared to before a Commissioner or Justice of the Peace before an examination can be granted.

JOHN STOCKS, Deputy Minister.
Department of Public Works,
Edmonton, Alta.

For Sale or Exchange.

FOR SALE CHEAP.—20 acres (\$2,000) near Appleton—for quick sale \$400. Easy terms. Will trade for five acres on Kootenay Lake. Lock 1172, Nelson, B. C.

FOR SALE.—Coming 2 year old Registered Aberdeen Angus BULL, weight 1,200 lbs. Also a few pure bred White Leghorn Cockerels.—A. L. Jones, Crossfield, Route 1.

Stolen or Strayed.

Stolen or Strayed, four year old Dark Grey MARE, weight 1,600 to 1,700 lbs. When left August 15th, was branded 2 on front hoof and 12 under mane right side neck. \$25.00 will be paid for information leading to recovery.—Washington Alberta Land Co. Ltd., Crossfield.

Red Cross Society.

The Society acknowledges with thanks the following:—Proceeds of sale of refreshments at dance Jan. 29th, \$10.75; Donation Mrs. F. S. Ferguson, \$10.00; work sent in Mrs. Conrad, 1 pr socks; Mrs. Willis, 1 pr socks and 1 pr wristlets; Mrs. Robinson, 1 pr socks; Mrs. Hays, 1 pr wristlets.

Belgian Relief Fund

We acknowledge with thanks the receipt of parcels of clothing from the following:—Mrs. Manning, Mr. Birch and Mrs. Cavander.

Donations for the
Belgian Relief
Fund received at
Chronicle Office.

SYNOPSIS OF CANADIAN NORTH- WEST LAND REGULATIONS

THE sole head of a family, or any male over 18 years old, may homestead a quarter-section of available Dominion land in Manitoba, Saskatchewan or Alberta. Applicant must appear in person at the Dominion Lands Agency or Sub-Agency for the district. Entry by proxy may be made at any Dominion Lands Agency (but not Sub-Agency), on certain conditions.

Duties.—Six months' residence upon cultivation of the land in each of three years. A homesteader may live within nine miles of his homestead on a farm of at least 80 acres, on certain conditions. A habitable house is required except where residence is performed in the vicinity.

In certain districts a homesteader in good standing may pre-empt a quarter-section alongside his homestead. Price \$3.00 per acre.

Duties.—Six months residence in each of three years after earning homesteaded patent; also 50 acres extra cultivation. Pre-emption patent may be obtained as soon as homesteaded patent, on certain conditions.

A settler who has exhausted his homestead right may take a new homestead in certain districts. Price \$3.00 per acre. Duties.—Must reside six months in each year, and cultivate 55 acres and erect a house worth \$100.00.

The area of cultivation is subject to reduction in case of rough, scrubby oratory land. Live stock may be substituted for cultivation under certain conditions.

W. W. COREY, C.M.G.,
Deputy of the Minister of the Interior,
N.B.—Unauthorized publication of this advertisement will not be paid for

Estray Notice.

On the McGilvery Place, W. 1/2 28-28, 29, one Dark Bay Mare coming 3 years, white face, two white hind legs, right front foot wire cut. No visible brand.

On the premises of John Benson, five miles west of Crossfield, one Black Gelding, weight about 1,000 lbs. has large bald face running wide at the bottom, and has white hind legs up to hock joints about 7 years old. Branded Q on left shoulder, and H2 on Q D shoulder below upper lip.

Also one three year old from Grey Mare some white on left hind foot. No visible brand.

E. L. McGOUGH,
Brand Referee,
Crossfield, Alta.

LOST.

LOST.—A FOX TERRIER DOG, last seen Xmas week following a team and sled going home.
Information will greatly oblige.
FRANK MORRIS,
Phone 8. Crossfield.

WANTED.

WANTED HORSES TO BREAK to Harness or Saddle, also would like to take some Horses on Shares.

Apply P.O. Box 31, Crossfield.

For Sale

FOR SALE.—Three milk Kits, one 7 1/2 gallons, 2 of 4 gallons, in good condition; also a Dining Room Extension Table, in good order; and a first-class Cooking Range.—Apply Chronicle Office.

YOUNG MAN, would you accept and wear a fine tailor made suit just for showing it to your friends? Or a Slip-on Raincoat free? Could you use \$5 a day for a little spare time? Perhaps we can offer a steady job. Write at once and get beautiful samples, styles and this wonderful offer. Banner Tailoring Co., Dept.-C, Chicago.

AGENTS.—It's new—your opportunity. We trust you to \$3.00 worth. Starr's Powerful Enamel. Repairs chipped and rusty spots on graniteware. Stops all leaky metalware without heat, soldering iron or tools. Agents coinuing money. Sample with particulars L. Starr, 1910 Monroe St., Toledo, O., U.S.A.

Fruit Lands For Sale.

SPECIAL.—Three coloured edition of the Famous Kootenay Magazine—50 pages—tells you to buy fruit in good condition, best monthly or yearly terms; best bargains; contains maps and sub-division plans; over 100 beautiful photographs; nearly 300 questions and answers—all about the marvelous Kootenay Lake District, Southern British Columbia, and how to be successful with fruit, vegetables and poultry. Special three-page illustrated article by successful ranchers such as Peabody and others. It's a hummer. Regular price \$50, but FREE—just state your nationality, amount you have to invest—monthly or yearly—and give one reference. Write to the silver-plate Kootenay Lake Information Bureau, Lock box 1172, Nelson, British Columbia.

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Machinery Repaired. Auto's Stored.
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AUTO SUPPLIES. Goodyear TYRES.
CEMENT AND PATCHES.

Situated South of Town, Next Door to Halliday and Co's Store.

Council Meetings

The council of the Village of Crossfield will meet in the Council Chamber over Fire Hall on the first Monday of each month, commencing with February at the hour of 8 o'clock p.m.

By Order of the Village Council
5-52-4 W. McHory, Sec.-Treas.

Lodge Cards

CROSSFIELD LODGE I. O. O. F.

No. 42

Meets Every Wednesday Night in the Oddfellows Hall at 8 p.m.
Visiting Brethren Welcome.
A. JESSIMAN, A. W. GORDON,
Fin. Sec'y.

Crossfield School District No. 752

The REGULAR MEETINGS of the above school board will be held at the School House at 10 a.m. on the first Saturday in the following months: January, March, May, July, September and November. All matters of business pertaining to this district will be attended to at this meeting.

The office of the Sec.-Treas. is in the Hardware Store next door to the Chronicle.
A. R. THOMAS, Chairman.
E. S. McHory, Sec.-Treas.

Farmers Repair

Shop

Special Attention Given to
BLACKSMITHING.

Blacksmith's Coal for Sale.

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Charges Moderate.

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ROBERT WHITFIELD,
Printer and Publisher.

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Here and There.

I persuaded Paw to take me to the dance on Friday last, my ain't Crossfield a gay town? We put in some skating first, Oh! what a crowd! the ice was fine and quite a lot of country couples there. Then to the dance, ain't it wonderful where all the people come from! Amongst others I saw there were Mr. and Mrs. Cavander, the latter looking as young as ever; the J. P.'s and their ladies, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. McHory, the Earl as usual cheerful and busy looking after the dollars. The Birch, sports taking a little pleasure after his hard work of looking after the criminals; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas with Mr. and Mrs. Ontke, the twins as usual busy discussing fogs and school matters. Mr. and Mrs. Huser, senior, looking fine as a father-in-law, and who took the opportunity as President of the Agricultural Society, to present the Earl with some fine furniture for his (as Paw says) very real hard work as manager of the society, for which the Earl returned thanks, but omitted to give the date of the home warning.

On Saturday I heard grief expressed on all sides at the loss of Crossfield in general, and to the telephone users in particular, of Marie Anderson who has left her post at the Post Office. Now Marie, that you have time on your hands, don't go and get married on the quiet, like some people we have heard about, but let us all be there if only for the pleasure of throwing rice at you.

I hear Mrs. Shaw has returned to the ranch one and a-half miles from town. Glad to see another store is being occupied on the front street, but have not heard in what line the Twine are going to work on now that they have given up the machine business, but I guess you will soon be having an advertisement in your paper telling us about it.

Talking about the front street, don't you think a little more window dressing by the store-keepers would help to make the place look more alive?

On Sunday I went with Max to the Church of the Ascension where the Rev. Dingle was holding a service, quite a good congregation; and I hear he will be here again next Sunday.

Miss Edith Irvine, whose health has been rather bad of late has left the Swann's and gone to the coast.

THE VILLAGE GOSSIP.

Sunshine U. F. A. Social.

The first social evening of the season of the Sunshine Local U.F.A. under the management of the social committee composed of Mr. W. J. Wilson, Mr. J. J. Morrison and Miss Bellis, the talented school teacher of the Sunshine School, to whom great credit belongs for the success of the evening, there was to have been a debate, but owing to the misfortune of one of the contestants being unable to be present it was postponed until the next social evening, among other items deserving special mention were a song by Miss R. Collins and a dialogue by Miss A. Frazer and Miss E. Landmore, the musical programme came to a close with the singing of the National Anthem. Dancing commenced while arrangements were made for supper, which was greatly enjoyed by the eighty odd people who were present.

The music was very creditably provided by Mr. T. Wilson and Mr. T. Southam. The event came to a close at about 4 a.m. one and all expressing their enjoyment and promising themselves a similar treat on Friday, the 26th of February. Mr. Joe Tracy officiated as floor manager, and Mr. M. L. Boyle was chairman.

Dollars are rather scarce just now. If you have not paid your subscription we should be glad to receive it. A dollar please, thanks.



Lower Prices on Ford Cars

Effective August 1st, 1914, to August 1st, 1915, and guaranteed against any reduction during that time. *All cars fully equipped f.o.b. Ford, Ont.

Runabout	-	\$540
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All retail buyers of new Ford Cars from August 1st, 1914, to August 1st, 1915, will share in the profits of the company to the extent of \$40 to \$50 per car, on each car they buy, PROVIDED: we sell and deliver 30,000 new Ford cars during that period. Ask for particulars from

LESLIE FARR, Dealer, Auctioneer,
and Real Estate Agent, Airdrie.

ITALIAN SPAGHETTI MADE IN CANADA

How Canadian Housewife Was Deceived—The Virtues of the "Made-In-Canada" Article

According to the "Monetary Times" of Toronto, British Columbian manufacturers are losing no opportunity to impress on the public the advisability of using home-made products. The association includes all the manufacturers both on the lower mainland and Vancouver Island, so that the markets in the coast cities are carefully looked after. Foreign products have been the rule here. A manager told "The Monetary Times" of an instance of how people apparently prefer something made elsewhere.

Empty Prejudices

A local brand of spaghetti was put on the market, and proud of their product the manufacturers had their name on the box. A housekeeper saw the brand at her grocer's and she tried it, but reported adversely. Evidently others also, proving that a maker has little honor in his own country. The latest move is a new package, taking off their name, and labelling it "Finest Italian Spaghetti." In one instance, the same woman who had said the other was no good tried it, and declared it was "the loveliest she had ever tasted." Not knowing it was the same brand, acting on the knowledge that British Columbia products are not behind any other in quality, the manufacturers are making a determined campaign to interest the public. The latest move is the resolution of the board of trade that the Burrard Inlet Tunnel and Bridge Company be urged to insert in the contract for the construction of the bridge across the Second Narrows a clause to the effect that the iron and steel for the bridge be fabricated in Vancouver, where there are two companies which have a combined investment of over a million dollars in plant.

Favor the Home Product

There is a moral in this that has a far wider application than in the case of spaghetti. A vast amount of material is sold in Canadian stores labelled "Latest Importations," "Best Imported Brands," "Direct Imports from France," "Best British Make," etc., that is the result of an honest day's work by a Canadian workman in a Canadian factory. The imported idea is a delusion, and it is gratifying to those who believe in the "Made-In-Canada" product to know that the consumer who is so prejudiced against the Canadian-made article cannot note the difference between the home and foreign made product. This is an indirect compliment to the Canadian manufacturer and the Canadian mechanic, and should convince the most sceptical that he should purchase the home product wherever possible. Now is the time to pursue this policy if we wish to restore good times in Canada.

British Women Forming Reserve Army.

If the Germans ever invade Great Britain and the situation becomes desperate they will be faced by an army of English Amazons, carefully drilled and trained to the use of the rifle.

When the public first heard of the Women's Volunteer Reserve some thought it was a joke, or rather a new ebullition of the suffragist class, but after a visit to old Bedford College and a view of the determined women perspiring through their military drills, one's feelings were changed.

It is not to be concluded that the women will rush to the coast and fight the moment the Germans make a landing. They will take up the rifle only when Great Britain is in desperate straits.

"At the same time, the rifle is not being neglected," said Viscountess Castlereagh, the Colonel-in-Chief of the Women's Emergency Corps. "All the women are spending time in the private rifle ranges, and there are some astonishingly good shots among them."

At old Bedford College, which is the headquarters of the Women's Emergency Corps, the writer found Colonel Viscountess Castlereagh and the Hon. Evelyn Haverfield, honorary colonel hand at work with their recruits.

Nearly 100 women were going through the regular army infantry drill. They were not women of leisure either. Most of them had put through a day's toil already in an office or along some professional line. An interview was granted by Captain Adair-Roberts, the woman drill officer.

"We are following the regular army rules throughout," she said. "No commissions are granted except for merit. When women are adjudged competent to teach the drill the regular army officers drop out in their favor."

"The Reserve is strictly non-partisan and non-sectarian. No women of wealth are permitted to buy commissions, although there have been many attempts of this sort."

"I can show you a titled woman and one of her servants drilling here side by side. This is not an isolated instance, either; there are several such."

Special attention has been paid to signaling practice, as this is an important branch of warfare in which it is unanimously agreed that the female sex may be of service.

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